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Grand Jury in open Court, in the presence of  
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DISTRICT COURT at Seattle, Washington.

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Ravi Subramanian, Clerk  
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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON  
AT SEATTLE

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,  
Plaintiff,

v.

STEVEN WILLIAM GOLDSTINE,  
Defendant.

NO. **CR 25-082 JHC**  
**INDICTMENT**

The Grand Jury charges that:

**COUNT 1**

**(Unlawful Possession of a Destructive Device)**

On or about December 31, 2024, in Snohomish County, within the Western  
District of Washington, STEVEN WILLIAM GOLDSTINE knowingly possessed a  
destructive device, that is, an explosive bomb, commonly known as a pipe bomb, which  
was not registered to him in the National Firearms Registration and Transfer Record.

All in violation of Title 26, United States Code, Sections 5861(d) and 5845(a)(8)  
and (f).

**COUNT 2****(Unlawful Possession of Ammunition)**

On or about March 17, 2025, in Snohomish County, within the Western District of Washington, STEVEN WILLIAM GOLDSTINE, knowing he had been convicted of the following crimes punishable by a term of imprisonment exceeding one year:

- i. *Possession of Stolen Property in the Second Degree*, in Snohomish County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 98-1-01158-5, on or about December 8, 1998;
- ii. *Arson in the First Degree*, in Snohomish County Superior Court, Washington under case number 89-1-01497-6, on or about February 16, 1990;
- iii. *Arson in the Second Degree*, in King County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 89-1-03140-6, on or about October 31, 1989; and
- iv. *Burglary in the Second Degree*, in King County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 89-1-03140-6, on or about October 31, 1989;

did knowingly possess, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, ammunition, that is: rounds of Hornady 9x19mm and Winchester 9x19mm ammunition, that had been shipped and transported in interstate and foreign commerce.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

**COUNT 3****(Unlawful Possession of a Firearm)**

Between on or about September 4, 2020, and on or about September 17, 2020, in Snohomish County, within the Western District of Washington, STEVEN WILLIAM GOLDSTINE, knowing he had been convicted of the following crimes punishable by a term of imprisonment exceeding one year:

- i. *Possession of Stolen Property in the Second Degree*, in Snohomish County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 98-1-01158-5, on or about December 8, 1998;
- ii. *Arson in the First Degree*, in Snohomish County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 89-1-01497-6, on or about February 16, 1990;
- iii. *Arson in the Second Degree*, in King County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 89-1-03140-6, on or about October 31, 1989; and
- iv. *Burglary in the Second Degree*, in King County Superior Court, Washington, under case number 89-1-03140-6, on or about October 31, 1989;

did knowingly possess, in and affecting interstate and foreign commerce, a firearm, that is: a Hi-Point Model C 9x19mm pistol, that had been shipped and transported in interstate and foreign commerce.

All in violation of Title 18, United States Code, Section 922(g)(1).

#### **FORFEITURE ALLEGATION**

The allegations contained in Counts 1 through 3 of this Indictment are hereby realleged and incorporated by reference for the purpose of alleging forfeiture. Upon conviction of the offense alleged in Count 1, STEVEN WILLIAM GOLDSTINE shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 26, United States Code, Section 5872(a), by way of Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), any destructive device involved in the offense.

Upon conviction of either of the offenses alleged in Counts 2 and 3, STEVEN WILLIAM GOLDSTINE shall forfeit to the United States, pursuant to Title 18, United States Code, Section 924(c), by way of Title 28, United States Code, Section 2461(c), any firearms and ammunition involved in the offense, including but not limited to

1 a. Approximately 700 rounds of Winchester 9x19mm ammunition, seized on  
2 or about March 17, 2025, from Defendant's residence in Snohomish County,  
3 Washington; and

4 b. Approximately three rounds of Hornady 9x19mm ammunition, seized on or  
5 about March 17, 2025, from Defendant's residence in Snohomish County, Washington.

6 **Substitute Assets.** If any of the above-described forfeitable property, as a result of  
7 any act or omission of the defendants,

8 a. cannot be located upon the exercise of due diligence;

9 b. has been transferred or sold to, or deposited with a third party;

10 c. has been placed beyond the jurisdiction of the Court;

11 d. has been substantially diminished in value; or,

12 e. has been commingled with other property which cannot be divided  
13 without difficulty;

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1 it is the intent of the United States to seek the forfeiture of any other property of the  
2 defendant, up to the value of the above-described forfeitable property, pursuant to  
3 Title 21, United States Code, Section 853(p).

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5 A TRUE BILL:

6 DATED: 5/7/2025

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8 *Signature of Foreperson redacted pursuant*  
9 *to the policy of the Judicial Conference of*  
10 *the United States.*

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